

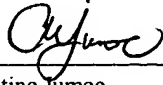
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Dear Sir:

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AMENDMENTS

Amendments to the Specification:

On page 1, before "FIELD OF THE INVENTION," please insert new paragraph with the following:

- - This application claims the priority benefit of European Patent Application Serial No. 02354106.3, filed July 9, 2002, titled "AUTOMATIC TRAFFIC SIGN RECOGNITION." - -